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This unjustified attack on Microsoft was the catalyst that brought on the collapse of the dot come. It is indeed ironic that the stock of many of the enemies of Microsoft was hurt worse than that of Microsoft.

There is much to hate about Windows, but its function as a de-facto standard has made possible the remarkable growth in both hardware and software.

Netscape and Sun were the people who tried to win by giving stuff away. They complain that Microsoft overcharges the customer, but that the prices are so low that they unfairly hurt the competition. How can the expect to have it both ways.

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